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Thermometer Record. The following shows the range of th thermometer as observed at Schnepf's drug 7 A. M., 72°; 12 M., 83°; 3 P. M., 81°; 7. P.

INDICATIONS.

Washington, D. C., August 3.—1 A. M.
—For Western Pennsylvania and West Virginia fair weather, northerly winds, slightly warmer.

You may put this down as definite, D. V. I am, yours fraternally, SAM P. JONES.

Coming Home to Die.

At a period of life when huilding womanhood requires all her strength to meet
the demands nature makes upon it, many
a young woman returns home from the
severs mental strain of school with a
broken-down constitution, and her funcsevere mental strain of school with a broken-down constitution, and her functions disarranged, to go to an early grave, If she had been wisely connected and given the benefit of Dr. Prices's "Pavorite Prescription" her bodily development might have kept pace with her mental growth, and health and beauty would not have given way to decline and death.

L.S.Good & Co., sell Dry Goods the cheapest,

THE LEVY REDUCED

BY THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS To Fifty-five Cents on the One Hundre Dollar Valuation-The Regular Meeting Yesterday-Public Building Expenses

The regular monthly meeting of the Board of County Commissioners yesterday was attended by all the members but Mr. Stocker. The Public Building Committee's work attracted the usual share of attention. A proposition of Klieves, Kraft & Co. to strip the plaster from the eilings of the two court rooms and relaster for \$500 was referred to the Build

ing Committee with power to act.

Mr. Prince offered the following: Mr. Prince offered the following:

Resolved, That the order passed July 8
levying 60 cents on every \$100 worth of
real and personal property in the county
for county purposes be and the same is
hereby rescinded.

This was postponed till afternoon, when
it was adopted and the levy fixed at 55
cents on the \$100.

Mr. Prince also offered the following:

Resolved, That all that part of Washington district outside of the city limits be assessed with the same road tax as the other
portions of the county outside of the city

sessed with the same road tax as the other portions of the county outside of the city for the year 1886 and every subsequent year unless otherwise ordered.

This very fair and equitable order was opposed by Mr. Stein, who regarded it as "malleious and outrageous." It received every vote but his.

The ordinance to amend the right of way ordinance for the West Virginia Natural Gas Company for the relief of Major Loring was again rejected.

John Borns again presented a petition for the liquidation of his famous and ancient claim against the P., W. & Ky. Railroad, referred to the Finance Committee.

sheriff Handlan was ordered to be cr sheriff Handlan was ordered to be credited with \$37,794 29, county orders paid by him, and paid \$20 20 for interest and \$302 30 witnesses' and jurors' fees. Bills to the amount of about \$5,000 were ordered paid, including \$5,702 10 commissions due the Sheriff, in accordance with the Firance Committee's report. Bills aggregating \$491 90 were ordered paid on recommendation of the Road and Bridge Committee, \$490 60 from the Poor House and \$428 50 from the Committee, and \$128 50 from the Committee, and \$128 50 from the Committee on Court House and Jall. 60 commi mates were reported in the Infirmary

inmakes were reported in the Infirmary in July.

Kequests from Oscar Seeley for payments on account of his work on the Paulic Building plumbing, were rejected, the amount due being scaled 25 percent, as provided in a previous order of the Board, this amount being received in lieu of a bond. A similar request from Kleves, Kratt & Co., the contractors, for payment for extras, was referred to the Building Committee for report. Bills from J. W. Schultz) for services as Coroner and costs in State cases as Justice were ordered paid. About 200 licenses to sell tobacco and cigars were gratted.

A motion to go into an election for Comme Designary was referred.

A motion to go into an election for Jounty Physician was rejected after con-iderable discussion.

It was considerably after four o'clock

Does It Go?

The point was raised last evening that under the law which requires the levy to be laid in July, the action of the Board of ommissioners yesterdsy in reducing i rom the figure fixed in July was not legal the Assessors extended on their tax books The Assessors extended on their tax books the amount of tax chargeable to each person assessed at the 60 cents levy. From these books the Sheriff has already made out about haif his tax bills. Of course if the reduced levy stands the Sheriff and Assessors will have to be paid extra for the extra work thus entailed upon them.

"DUTCHY" WEST'S CASE. He Waves Examination and is Held 1

The case of "Dutchy" West, accused of breaking into the residence of George Crumbacker, at 904 McColloch street chloroforming the family and robbing the house, was set for hearing in the office of the County jail at 2 o'clock yesterday niternoon by Equire W. H. Davis. At that hour West waved a preliminary examination and was remanded to jail in default of \$5,000 bail.

The case of Tom Arthur, arrested with West at the old Catholic cemetery south of the creek, was postponed till to day. The general belief is that young Arthur is innecent of any participation in the crime.

general belief is that young Arthur is innocent of any participation in the crime,
and that he simply got into trouble by
being in bad company. Prosecuting Attorney Jordan himself is disposed to
share this belief, but there are one or two
circumstances he deares to have cleared
up before he consents to the young man's
release. The affair has probably taught
Arthur a much needed lesson.

OBJECT TO THE REPORT.

tegister Inaccuracies in the Account of the

There was considerable dissatisfaction expressed yesterday by members of the St. Alphonsus Society over the report printed in the Register of the laying of the corner-stone of the new church edifice beng erected on the site of the old St. Alphonsus church, and the attendant exercises which took place Sunday. The report was spoken of as being full of inaccuracies. A member of the Society called attention to the report of the manner in which the different members of the clergy took part and said that that was wrong. The Register stated that Charles Behler, as President of the Society, delivered the address of welcome to the visiting societies. Mr. Behler is not President nor did he deliver the address. That pleasing duty was done exact pressure in the pipes. ing erected on the site of the old St. Al-

Bebler is not President nor did he deliver the address. That pleasing duty was done by Mr. Poter Bonenberger, who is the President of the Society. There were other inaccuracies of less importance.

A Gaury Story.

Bellivire Independent.

One of the large glass firms of Wheeling recently refused an order for \$50,000 worth of their wares. It sounds strange at first reading, perhaps, but it was business after all. There are large commercial houses in some of the cities that buy immense quantities of glass and crockery ware, and to those who place worthy orders they present a case of fine glass or crockery. These goods are exhibited in the windows of dealers and either given away or sold for a mere song—a sort of chromo business that works incalcuable injury to the trade.

A Rungrary gauge must so places the side of wildings which will which will include the state of present and present and present and into the pipes.

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Letter from Rev. Sam Jones.

The following letter to Presiding Elder Hite explains theelf:

PARCELS HOURS,
KIRKSVILLS, Mo., July 16, 1886.

Rev. George E. Hite, Wheeling, W. Va.:

DEAR BROTHER HITE:— Yours of June 28 received. In reply, Brother Small will be with you at your camp meeting from the morning of the 17th of August to the morning of the 20th of August, and I will be with you the 20th, 21st and 22d of August.

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Transfers Recorded.

Clerk Hook yesterday admitted to record three deeds by which Patrick Kennedy, 200 and Kns. Main street, north of Eleventh. The consideration paid Ball 20.

Eleventh. The consideration paid Ball 2175, the right of way in each case being about 41 feet in width.

Also a deed made April 25, 1885, by Charles W. Conner and wife to Margaret A. Jones, wife of William Jones, inconsideration of \$600, for lots No. 12 and 23 of the old Vineyard tract on the National road.

Mr. Lucas's Lecture.

The lecture to be delivered at the Opera House next Friday evening by Hon. Daniel B. Lucas, of Jefferson county, the briliant and pollshed orator of the Eastern Panhandle, will be on the life and tcharacter of the great Irish Commoner, Daniel O'Connell. Mr. Lucas cannot fall to please and entertain, no matter what his topic. The lecture is to be given under the auspices of the Parnell Club, of this city, to raise funds for Ireland's cause. Reserved seats can be secured at Bauner's Mr. Lucas's Lecture.

LOCAL BREVITIES,

Matters of Minor Moment in and About the City.

The Riverside blast furnace at Steuben-ville is expected to start up about Sepexpected to start up about Sep

Land, the Canadian carsman, has put up and challenged John Ritz for a race for \$500 to \$1,000.

The last will and testament of John Mayer, decessed, was yesterday admitted to probate and ordered to be recorded.

to probate and ordered to be recovered attractions is called to the advertisement of Mr. S. P. Hildreth in this issue. He has added to his insurance agency two first class companies.

No horsess outside of Bellaire, Martin's Ferry, Bridgeport and Wheeling will be allowed to enter the trotting or pacing races at the butchers' picnic on August 73.

Wilson the Pittaburgher arrested for WURMS, the Pittsburgher arrrested for beating his wife on the B. & O. train Sun-day afternoon, was sent to the hill for thirty days from the Police Court yester-

day.

Archibald McClarin yesterday qualified as administrator of the estate of William Stuart, deceased, and gave bond in the sum of \$14,000, with D. O. List, jr., as arealy.

THE Mingo nail works resumed operations yesterday morning, the task of taking stock being accomplished in two days and three nights. Looks as though there was considerable inducement to run.

CHARLES CHAYTON, A YOUNG SON Of Mr. Crayton who is employed at Schulz's confectionery, had his foot so badly crushed on the B. & O. track at Benwood last evening that it will have to be amputated. LETTERS addressed to the following named persons remain unclaimed at the postofilee: Geo. Dyer, W. Geo. Howard, Mr. Mours, Valentine Stark, J. C. Martin, A. Walters, James E. Oarter, Carl Dopp-

OPPICER BRINKMAN last night arrested an Eighth ward tailor at the corner of Chapline and Thirty-sixth streets. He had on nothing but his shirt and socks, and the theory is advanced that this is the Register ghost, if there ever was a ghost.

is in the city. Mr. Frank W. Donaldson, of the Island. left last night for Butte, Montana, where he will reside in the future.

Mrs. N. B. Scott and son have re-turned from an extended sojourn at Colo-rado Springs and elsewhere in Colorado Miss Alta Ford, daughter of Dr. Ford of Benwood, is spending a part of hes school vacation with relatives in Woods field.

Miss Lizzle Miller, of this city, is the

guest of her sister, Mrs. S. Culbertson, of Steubenville, who was visiting here last Rev. Dr. Randoiph, paster of the Fourth Street M. E. Church, was in Steu-benville yesterday visiting the people of his old charge.

Mr. Daniel Whitehead, an old and hon-

ored resident of East Wheeling, is quite ill with a large carbuncle on his shoulder that has confined him to his house for a

Mrs. Margaretta Rickey and Miss Min-

day for New York, from whence they will sail on Saturday for England. Mr. Mo-llwaine goes both on pleasure and bus-ness, and will be absent about one month.

GAS IN MANUFACTORIES.

The Regulations of the Wheeling Board of The local Board of Underwriters has issued the following memorandum of conditions for the introduction and use of natural gas in manufacturing establish-

The following amount of work was done

by the city letter carriers in the month o July, 1886: Registered letters Total.... 162,770 Total 119,516

L. H. Albright, Superintendent of Carriers. Closing Out all our Gents' law cut and cloth top shoes at prices regardless of cost or value. See display in window. L. V. BLOND.

THE OIL OUTLOOK.

NO INTERESTING DEVELOPMENTS

in the Washington Field Yesterday - Th Wheeling Well not yet in the Gordon Sand, but Expected to Reach it To-day.

The Wheeling Oil Company had expect ed to reach the Gordon sand in its Washington Fair grounds well yesterday, but at last accounts the drill was still pound ing away in the stray. It is believed the Gordon sand will be reached early to-day and possibly the fate of the hole will b known by evening. It is expected to b a good one. So far not a sign of oil has been struck, which is regarded as a very favorable indication for the Gordon stra favorable indication for the Gordon stra-tum. An official of the company said last night that the stockholders would have been discouraged if oil had been struck before now. As it is all are sanguine of a big flow when the Gordon is pierced. Developments in the Washington field during the mouth just closed have been of a varied character. The now old story of dry, dusty holes on locations where good wells were confidently expected, and vice versa, has, after another month's work.

good wells were confidently expected, and vice versa, has, after another month's work, reinforced the conviction that as an oil field Washington is unlike any other oil field. The McKinney Bros. No. 2, on the Montgomery farm, which proved such a miserable flasco in the early part of the month, was an undoubted surprise to everybody, being located in such close proximity to two good producers. Almost due east of the McKinney No. 2 and not a great distance from it is the Shirls No. 3, which with no ill luck should break the crust of the Gordon sand not later than Thursday. While not entirely condemned by the failure of McKinney 2; it is safe to say that had its owner been in possession of the light furnished by albe cloud of dust from that well, its location would have been different or not at all. would have been different or not at al

the most conducive things to good health.

A nonse drawing a dog cart driven by
Mr. Swearingen, ran off on Main street
yeaterday, and turning down the St.
James noted alley and then down the
Water street sidewalk, demollshed a chair
from which a gentleman arose just in
time to escape. It then ran over another
gentleman's toes, and brought up against
a lamp post.

The Sunday School of St. Alphonsus
church celebrated the laying of the corner stone of the new church on Sunday
by a picnic at the Park yesterday. The
attendance was as large as ever seen at
picnic at the Park. The Elm Grove road
ran three or four cars on every hourly
trip, and all were well loaded. The day
was passed enjoyably by all. It was a
perfect day for a picnic.

ABOUT PEOPLE.
Straugers in the City and Wheeling Folks
Abroad.

Mrs. George W. Miller, of Washington,
Pa., is visiting Mrs. John Roemer, of the
South Side.

Mr. F. D. Young, a prominent attorney
and staunch Republican of Wetzel county,
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The production in the last 24 hours of

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The production in the last 24 hours of the entire field, including the Taylorslown mystery, estimated at 30 barrels, was 7,351 barrels. There are now 69 wells drilling, 18 rigs up or building, 5 wells abandoned, and 9 were completed in July.

Piping the Mills for Gas,

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Last week Mr. Lewis Jones, manager of
the Æina mill, Mr. Ed Rogers, of the Top
mill, and Mr. A. L. Wetherald, the wellknown manufacturer, visited Pittsburgh
and went about a number of the loading
iron mills for the purpose of inspecting
the manner of using natural gas as a fuel,
in order that they might be enabled to
make calculations upon piping the respective works with which they are connected.
Mesers. Wilson, Snyder & Co, of Pittsburgh, have secured the contracts for putting in the pipes in several of the mills at
Wheeling and Bellaire, and other Pittsburgh firms with experience in that line
of work have secured others.

Mrs. Margaretta Rickey and Miss Minnie Rickey, of Wheeling, W. Va., and Fannie Parks, of Allegheny, are visiting Mr. Henry and William DeNormandl's...

Washington, Pa., Reporter.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hobbs and their daughter, Mrs. T. W. Phinney and child, have returned from an extensive trip to eastern watering places and cities, having been absent about one month.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. McIlwaine leave to-they for New York from white the will be a second and cities of the Standard and White Sewing Machines and the Caligraph & Hammond Writing Machines.

F. Dw. L. Rose & Co., 55 Twelfth street. You are cordially invited to call at

It pays to trade at H. F. Behrens' stores. The best housekeepers have known it for many years. His business speaks for itself. Clearance Sale

of Summer Shoes and Slippers at reduced prices. L. V. BLOND. RIVER NEWS.

Stage of the Water and Movements of the The Benton Macmillan is due down at an early hour this morning.

The towboat Nail City is having her machinery repaired and is receiving new chimneys at Gallipolis.

The Scotia, Louis Shirley, General Pike and Katie Stockdale while laid up have

and Katie Stockdale while laid up have been undergoing repairs.

It is reported that the steamer Return, of New Cumberland, is to enter the Steu-benville and Pittaburgh trade.

The R. E. Phillips, the small passenger packet built here by the Sweeneys for Capt. Dode Berry, has gone up the river on a short cruise.

Col. W. E. Merrill, in charge of Ohlo river improvements, is reported seriously ill at his residence in Cincinnati with an attack of diptheria.

attack of diptheria.

The C. W. Batchelor, which has been laid up here for several weeks on account of low water, will start out in the Pittsburgh trade again this morning. The Emma Graham Transportation Com-pany will, it is again given out, soon put a steamer permanently in the Pittsburgh-Cincinnati trade, in place of the old Gra-

The Belle Prince has had three flats of rails hard aground a short distance below Davis Island dam; the rest of her tow was

were aground. were aground.

The Princess had a large excursion party of colored people from Bollaire, Martin's Ferry and here on board last evening, and took them to Staubenville and return. There was an orchestra on board that furnished music for dancing. The excursion was given under the direction of Joshua

Scott.

The river rose nearly two feet yesterday. This was partly due to the rains of Sunday and partly due to the lowering of the Davis Island dam yesterday, which let an immense volume of water out. At let an immense volume of water out. At Pittsburgh last evening the river Indicated a depth of 5 feet 3 inches and rising. Here the depth in the channel was g feet 2 inches and the river was rising. A number of boats of the coal fleet are expected to come out with small tows.

The Andes arrived from Cincinnati yesterials a directory of the first product of the coal fleet are consistent of the first product of the first product

Closing Out
all our Gents' low cut and cloth top shoes
at prices regardless of cost or vaine. See
display in window.

The Mountain Lake Park Hotel, after a
thorough repairing and preparation, is
again open for guesis. The rates are as
reasonable as will allow for a fint-class it.

H. VanMeter, the owner, still manages it.

The Andes arrived from Cincinnativesterday afternoon with a first-class rip on
board. She will leave on her return trip
at 3 o'clock this afternoon. She already
ments, and the indications are that she
will leave port with about all the freight
on board that she can carry. This excellent stern-wheel packet, in addition to being
table and comfort of its patrons. Mr. H.
Alle to handle rapidly large amounts of
freight, is fitted up with all the conveniences for a big passenger traffle. Her state-Reserved seats can be secured at Banner's.

Thursday morning without extra charge.
Those who have aiready purchased tickets can have them reserved at that time.

L.S.Good & Co., sell Dry Goods the cheapest.

To prove it, try it. NOW, WHO IS GRAY!

The \$5,000 Libel Sait Against the Intelli gencer Matures. Yesterday the declaration was filed by Attorney J. B. McLure, of Moundaville, in the libel suit brought by him some time ago against Frow, Campbell & Hart, publishers of the INTELLIGENCER, in which one John Gray claims damages in which one John Gray claims damages in the sum of \$5,000. The declaration sets forth that on the sixteenth day of October, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five the defendants did print, publish and cause to be printed and published, an article in the words following, to-wit:

A CHAZY MAN WITH A ENIFE. A Very Sensational Scene Yesterday Morn

Yesterday morning Jack Gray, a well known East Wheeling character, was ar-raigned before Justice Phillips by Officer Ben Dunlap, of the police force, and by the Justice committed to jail to await an

Ben Dunlap, of the police force, and by the Justice committed to jail to await an inquest in lunacy.

Gray for some time past has been a dangerous character. About four years ago he got into a fight with a man while under the influence of liquor, and in the course of the scrimmage the man gave nim a terrible blow over the head with a lycce of brick. His skull was indented by the force of the blow and it was necessary in order to relieve the compression of his brain to trepan his skul. Gray is a hard drinker and ever since then when drinking more than usal he would be slightly "off his balance" and inclined at out ugly. The man with whom he had his fight was defended by Capt. Dovener and cleared, his plea being one of self defense. Gray is a powerfully built man about fifty years of age.

Then follows the remainder of a long article fatthfully reciting the occurrences at the time Gray exhibited a desire to wipo Capt. B. B. Dovener out of existence. The declaration avers that the article quoted means the plaintiff, John Gray, and that he is damaged to the amount named.

When the suit was filed it was said on the state of the said of the said

named.

When the suit was filed it was said on the plaintiff was a When the suit was filed it was said on good authority that the plaintiff was a Marshall county man. This is still the only understanding that can be obtained. The Wheeling Jack Gray could not be found last night. Nobody credits the idea that he has sued, but it seems still more peculiar if another Gray wants damages for an article that did not refer to him.

COL. POORMAN GIVES IT UP. He Concedes Col. Taylor's Nomination and

The Bellaire Independent of last evening has the following, which may be consider ed as authorized, since the Independent has favored Col. Poorman all through the preliminary Congressional contest:

Col. C. L. Poorman will not have his name presented to the Congressional convention. He will formally withdraw in a card to-morrow. Some of his delegates will vote against making the nomination of Taylor unanimous, and may keep it up alterwards.
Col. Poorman's own paper, the Belliare

Col. Poorman's own paper, the Belliare Tribune, says:

The result of the primaries gives the nomination to Col. J. D. Taylor. Bellaire, Puliney township, Martin's Ferry, Bridgeport, and several other townships elected delegates favorable to Col. Poorman, Warren, Richland and the western townships, except Flushing, elected Taylor delegates. There is little news from the other counties, but enough is known to indicate the nomination of Taylor by a decided majority. For want of help we are unable to give full particulars, but expect to say more to-morrow. pect to say more tr-morrow.

Col. Poorman spoke to an Intelligences, reporter last night rather bitterly about his defeat. He said he would publish a card in his paper this ovening withdrawing from the contest.

Martin's Ferry.

J. F. Smith, of Bellaire, was in the city Ben Exley, jr., has accepted a position with A. R. Oug.

Joseph Pennington is visiting Treasurer Robinson in St. Clairsville, Billy Wilson has accepted a position with a Beliaire glass works, Johnny Phillips got a hand badly burned at the Standard mill yesterday.

Some rascal entered the residence of Mr. Finley Taylor on Saturday about 1 o'clock and carried away a vest belonging to Mr. Taylor. The L. A. Society and the Y. M. C. A. of the M. E. Church will give a union festival at the Excelsion Rink Friday and Saturday evenings. Everybody is invited.

As Dr. Weirich was quietly driving along yesterday morning the coupling under his buggy suddenly gave way, landing the Doctor very unceremoniously on his hands and knees in the middle of the street. His horse took the mishap very anistly and no carlong demographics. quietly and no serious damage resulted.

Bellaire. C. T. Stalker has moved to Steubenville. The stockholders of the Bellaire Nail

Works are rejoicing over a five percent dividend. There was a bad washout on the street car track above Gravel Hill from Sunday's

H. S. Hartenstein has moved to his new

H. S. Hartenstein has moved to his new house on Indian run, to engage in the poultry business. His new home is out of town, and his place in the City Council is therefore vacant.

The changes predicted in the management of the Bellaire window glass works where the bellaire window glass works have been made. The new Board of Discretors and officers are as follows: W. M. Hartildes Deciders I have been the county. Levi Casner, of Grant county, was returnis therefore vacant.

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D. Y. Parshall, of Bruce station, was in town yesterday.

The gas company laid their pipe across

Henry Koehnline is the happy pos-sessor of a very interesting educated fly. Henry takes great pleasure in exhibiting his pet's tricks to his admiring friends. Attempts to Destroy His Own Family.

NEW BLOOMFIELD, PA., August 2 .- Jacob Kinert, a well-to-do tarmer of Fishing Creek Valley, was yesterday morning com-Creek Valley, was yesterday morning committed to the Perry county prison on the charge of arson. By reason of his alleged brutal treatment Mrs. Kinert was compelled to leave her husband, and, with her three children, reades in Maryaville. Her application of a decree of a divorce is now in the couris, and an order was recently made allowing her\$75 with which to prosecute her suit. The sum her husband has frequently declared he would not pay. A night or two since Mrs. Kinert was aroused from a sound sleep by a dense smoke pouring into her room. This came from a sound sleep by a dense smoke pouring into her room. This came from a square box, in which a lighted candle had been placed to a block of wood and shave been placed to a block of wood and shave ingo saturated with coal oil. It is alleged ingo saturated with coal oil. It is alleged that strong evidence has been secured pointing to Kinert as the author of the attempt to destroy his family.

It pays to trade at Behrens',

ANOTHER HOMICIDE

NEAR ROMNEY, HAMPSHIRE CO. Benjamin Brooks Murdered by a Young Woman whom it is Reported he had Threatened-The Woman Lodged in

Romney, the county seat of Hampshire county, which was so stirred up only a few weeks ago over the Heatwoll tragedy was on Sunday evening again thrown into a state of excitement by learning of another homicide. This coming so soon after the other crime made-the excitement greater probably than it would have otherwise been. In this case the victim is re-ported to be Benjamin Brooks, aged 43, married, and the father of a family. The person named in the report as firing the shot that ended Brooks' career is a young unmarried woman named Ann Offner.

Miss Offner lived with her father, Reuben Offner, on the latter's farm, three miles east of Romney. Brooks resided in Romney and has hitherto borne a good Romney and has hitherto borne a good and peace. The Romey and has hitherto borne a good reputation for sobriety and peace. The shooting took place about 8 o'clock Sunday morning. Brooks was shot through the head and instantly killed. It is reported that he had stopped at Miss Offiner's and threatened to kill her in case she made certain exposures. There are some shecking stories afloat in connection with the shooting. Miss Offiner was lodged in jail. It is said she admits the shooting. shooting.

THROUGH THE STATE. tecidents and Incidents in West Virginia

and Vicinity. The new and long-needed city hall being built at Cambridge, Ohio, is to cost \$5,877.

The fire drill has been introduced in all of the Zanesville schools. It is a commendable innovation. Point Pleasant people are gradually coming to the conclusion that contractor J. K. Stout abscended from that point. Joseph Maitland, who recently died it Philadelphia, was the owner of 31,035 acres of fine coal and timber lands in

McDowell county. The Gilmer county delegates to the First Congressional Democratic Convention are reported to stand, nine for Frame, nine for Brannon and two for Wilson. The Tucker county Pioneer says ver pointedly, that it wants some one beside Hon, W. L. Wilson to be the Democratic Congressional nominee in that district. Recce Lewis, of Barnesville, raised 734

bushels of strawberries on a piece of ground a little less than one-third of at acre. He received \$103 50 for the crop. The Deer Park Hotel is rapidly filling with guests, and the accomn soon be exhausted. Among the recent as rivals are ex-Senator McDonald and wife of Indianapolis.

The largest bass caught on the South Branch this season was one that J. C. Stubblefield hooked at "Ogden's." When weighed several hours after it was caught it tipped the beam at six pounds. The State Journal says it has been definitely settled by Senator Camden and his friends to run Mayor W. N. Chancellor, of Parkersburg, as one of the candidates for the Legislature from Wood county.

Rev. Henry C. Wrigman, of Parkora-burg, has accepted the call from the Epis-copal congregation at Wellsburg to be-come their rector. Bishop Peterkin has beepoken for him a warm reception. Professor Porinton, of Parkersburg, while shooting fish on Cheat river, slipped and fell. In trying to save himself he struck his right hand on a projecting rock and broke the arm badly between the

elbow and the wrist. The latest snake story comes from Logan county where, according to the Dem-ocrat, Elliott Nester killed a rattle snake that was seven feet long, twenty inches in circumference and had twenty five rattles and a button. Whew! The four Masonic bodies of Huntington

have leased the entire third floor of a large block, and fitted it up in a very convenient and handsom estyle. There are seven rooms, including a large hall for work and a banquet hall. The Wayne county Advocate thinks Judge Mun. Jackson's eight years on the bench should rule him out of the Congressional race just as much as his friends claim that Gibson's four years in Congress should rule him out.

The Ritchie Gazette, the able journal over which State Senator P. W. Morris presides so acceptably, has started on its thirteenth year. All its many friends will join in the hope that it will boom along in the future more profitably than ever. Colonel Chill Hazzard, editor of the Monongahela City, Pa., Republican, has been invited to speak with other notables at the big Soldiers' Reunion to be held in Buckhannon, September 8, and the committee in the committee of the mittee is anxiously awaiting his reply. The Wellsburg Herald says that last week the Messrs. Thompson, of West Middletown, disposed of their entire clip, amounting to 14,000 pounds, to Brown, Buchanan & Co., at 32 cents per pound. The wool is said to have been of a superior

William Braseus writes to the Clarksrain; but the damage was repaired yesterday.

The contract for the Crystal window glass house was let to D. W. C. Carroll, of Pittsburgh. It is to be all iron but the floor and is to be ready by October 1.

The Tucker county Pioneer says it may

Levi Casner, of Grant county, was returning home on horse back late at night when his horse scared at what was afterwards learned to be a panther and throwing Casner from the saddle gailoped off dragging him about one hundred yards, his feet having caught in the stirrups. He was very badly injured, two ribs being broken. Four of the herd of cattle belonging to James Erwine, of Pocahontas county, were shot and killed by some scoundrel while John S. Wilson, of Flushing, has removed his family to Bridgeport.

Harry Fogle left on a pleasure trip through Ohio and Illinois yesterday.

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Meister's Orchestra goes to Chippewa Lake Friday to play for a big ball that day.

The Cleveland, Lorain & Wheeling from the effects of which edied, after sixteen hours suffering. He was a heavy buyer of wool and became temporarily embarrassed, which caused his bankers to refuse his escent of a very interesting educated fly. Henry takes great pleasure in exhibiting committed. committed. A delegate in the Putnam County Dem-ocratic Convention, held a few days since, offered to amend the resolution endorsing

Captain Gibson's course in Congress b

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excepting the vote on the Oleomargarine bill, the vote on the Biair Educational bill, and the vote on the Morrison tariff bill, the dodging of the vote on the Silver bill and the denunciation of Cleveland's administration. The joke was, the amendment came near being adopted.

The Morroe county Witchman claims that the utter defeat of the Snyder faction at the Summers county primaries held last week under the new call of the Executive committee, deeming it best not to consider the small-sized riot held a few weeks ago, as a convention, means that

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ment of Agriculture, after analyzing the cream of tartar used by the various baking powders of the market, testifies to the absolute purity of that employed in the Royal Baking Powder as follows: "I have examined the cream of tartar manufactured for and used by the Royal Baking Powder Company in their baking

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Dr. E. H. Bartley, chemist of the Brooklyn, N. Y., Department of Health, says: "I have recently analyzed samples of the Royal Baking Powder purchased by myself in the stores of this city, and find it free from lime in any form." Bread, cake, biscuits, &c., prepared with Royal Baking

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ors.
It moved off most beautifully, its move-It moved off most beautifully, its movement increasing gradually but with wonderful celerity. When two hundred feet down the launchway the cradle broke with a crash and a roar that could be heard distinctly a mile away. It was accompanied by fire and smoke caused by the friction. The huge raft surged for a moment, and then settled down on the wrecked cradle. Sticks of hard wood, eighteen inches in diameter, were snapped like pipe-stems and ground into match wood. The raft remains intact, only two of the binding chains being broken. It is about one-fifth submerged at high water. It is probable that it cannot be moved.

Incendiary Blaze.

Indianapolis, Ind., August 2,-The News' special from Bloomington says that at eleven o'clock last night an incendiary fire was started in Shook & Faulkner's town north of here on the Louisville, New Albañy & Chicago railroad, which destroyed more than half the business houses in the place before its progress was stayed. The losses are small, aggregating only \$13,500; insurance \$0,000.

Stock Yards Burned.

St. Louis, Mo., August 2.-A fire broke out shortly before noon to-day in the

National stock yards, at East St. Louis, and spread with such rapidity that the local fire department was unable to master the flames, and an appeal for aid was sent to this city, to which three engines responded The fire started in the large hay barn which contained 1,000 tons of hay valued at \$5,000, and it was wholly destroyed. Thirty sheds valued at \$500 each were also completely destroyed. For Sale.

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